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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-20 (Canceled).

21. (Previously Presented) A table saw, comprising:

a support surface with an aperture therethrough, for supporting a workpiece;
a beveling cutting device adjustably extending through the support surface aperture,
said cutting device for cutting a workpiece, whereby operation of the cutting device in the
workpiece results in the formation of a kerf having a first and a second side in the
workpiece;

a first optical emitting device adjustably coupled to the table saw to project a first
optical indicator substantially aligned with the first side of a kerf;

and a second optical emitting device adjustably coupled to the table saw to project a
second optical indicator substantially aligned with the second side of the kerf,

wherein the first and the second optical emitting devices are configured so as to
bevel with the cutting device, such that said first optical indicator and said second
optical indicator are projected to substantially indicate the first and second sides of the
kerf.

22. (Original) The table saw of claim 21, wherein said first and said second optical
emitting devices are lasers.

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23. (Original) The table saw of claim 21, wherein said first and said second optical emitting devices are helium-neon lasers.

24. (Original) The table saw of claim 21, wherein said first optical indicator and said second optical indicator are lines of light visible to a human.

25. (Original) The table saw of claim 21, wherein said first and said second optical emitting device are fan laser beam generators.

26-34 (Canceled)

35. (New) A table saw, comprising:

- a support surface with an aperture therethrough, for supporting a workpiece;
- a beveling cutting device adjustably extending through the support surface aperture, said cutting device for cutting a workpiece, the cutting device being disposed in a plane, whereby operation of the cutting device in the workpiece results in the formation of a kerf having a first and a second side in the workpiece;

- a first optical emitting device adjustably coupled to the table saw to project a first optical indicator substantially aligned with the plane;

- wherein the first optical emitting device is configured so as to bevel with the cutting device, such that said first optical indicator is projected to substantially indicate a cutting path of the cutting device along the workpiece.

36. (New) The table saw of claim 35, wherein the first optical emitting device adjustably coupled to the table saw to project a first optical indicator substantially aligned with the first side of the kerf.

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37. (New) The table saw of claim 35, further comprising a second optical emitting device adjustably coupled to the table saw to project a second optical indicator substantially aligned with the second side of the kerf.

38. (New) The table saw of claim 37, wherein said first and said second optical emitting devices are lasers.

39. (New) The table saw of claim 37, wherein said first and said second optical emitting devices are helium-neon lasers.

40. (New) The table saw of claim 37, wherein said first optical indicator and said second optical indicator are lines of light visible to a human.

41. (New) The table saw of claim 37, wherein said first and said second optical emitting device are fan laser beam generators.